calculation, the entire work done by these men

convicts working out of the walls of the prison

financial view into the midst of the contest of

louviet va. Free Labor, in such a way as

completely contound the intrigues of the dem-

agogues, and to silence the clamor of the press.

ary, within the last two years, crushed out of ex-

extensive establishment and business in th

ragged clothes upon those who remain.

robe." this system, which is now being defend-

indignation, and may carry them into excesses

Celestral Justice come, that step is sure. Unerring in her bolt, and where it falls Eternal will be the ruin. OBSERS

Now, let us, as a party, see to it in time, and i

ANOTHER NOMINATION FOR THE

LEGISLATURE.

THE ROADS.

Very respectfully yours.

ORIGINATOR'S REPLY.

United States.

seriously ill. President Hayes paid Philadelphia s visit Wednesday.

Chas. Heurotin, of Chicago, has failed Liabilities, \$126,000.

rivers and harbors is \$7,300,000. The French exposition will be for mally opened on the first day of May

The bomb shell from Florida is said to be creating a sensation at Washing

John Secrist, real estate dealer. Chicago, has tailed. Liabilities, \$186,-There was a severe rain and snow

storm in Central Texas, last Tuesday night. Senator Blaine headed an anti-Wood's tariff procession, at Chester, Pa., last

Saturday. Samuel Steenburg, colored, was hanged on the 19th inst., at Fonda, N. Y.

for murder. Governor Hampton, they say, will have a walk over in the next gubernatorial campaign.

The steamer Britannia arrived from England, Monday, with \$600,000 in gold for this country. Canada has a pair of Siamese twins.

girls. They are united at the back, and have but one leg each. There has been \$2,301,500 in silver

coined at the Philadelphia mint since i has been made a legal tender.

Mr. Galusha A. Grow, the P. I. ma says, is growing in strength as a cad date for governor in Pennsylvania.

Wesley Turner, Jackson Edwards. and Alex. Brown, were hanged at Franklin, La., last Monday, for murder. The Blair resolutions to reopen the

presidential question, have been referred to the house judiciary committee Gen. Burnside's bill to mix up negroes and whites in the army has failed in the ensuing year will be cut out. There the senate, by a vote of thirty-eight to

Senator Cockrell, who has been quite ill with malarial fever for some time. had so far recovered, last Wednesday,

as to be in his seat. A evelone visited the victuity of Slour City, Iowa, last Sunday, doing a grea deal of damage to houses, tences,

orchards, stock. &c. railroad jumped the track, near Hema tite, last Monday, and ki led two trains-

Robert McEvoy, who killed Major J. Gregg, at Graniteville, S. C. April 20th, 1876, was hanged at Aiken, Friday of last week, the 19th inst.

The river and harbor bill passed the house by a vote of 166 to 66. It appropristes about \$600,000 for the improvement of the Mississippi river.

Hon. T. T. Crittenden has appointed Charles P. Hepp, of Sedalia, as a candidste for cadet midshipman to the United States Naval School, at Anap

Senator Thurman's Pacific railroad funding bill passed the house, Wednesday, with only two votes against it. Se it seems that the United States government is bigger than the U. P.

Theodore Tilton has caused the publication of a card, in which he denies that he has used any efforts to induce his wife to write a confession, or that any step-

have been taken for their reunion.

The total exports from the port of New York to all foreign countries from January 1 to April 18, 1878, amount to \$101,881,135, ngainst \$76,147,330 for the same period in 1877-an increase of \$25,733,805.

Very severe storms have recently visited various portions of the country; this week having been signalized by storms on the plains, in Texas, at St Louis, Wheeling, Rome, Ga., Nashville and in the Yellowstone country.

Mr. Glover arose in his place, last Saturday, and denied the story printed by republican papers, to the effect that his committee had discovered where member of congress had misappropriated \$5,000 of a public fund to his own

Western Union Telegraph company. died, in New York, last Monday. He had held several important trusts under the government, before his appointment to the one which he filled at the time o

There will be a total eclipse of the sun, July 29th; visible at St. Louis from tion or corporation, unless two-thirds 3:49 to 5:51; magnitude at that place this point the eclipse will be visible for Judge Krekel dissented, and the case about the same time, and to about the will be sertified to the United States

The democratic house of representa tives, on the 19th inst. passed a bil increasing Gen. James Shields' pension from \$30 to \$100 per month. If the republican senate does not kill the bill the old hero will be out or danger of want in his declining years.

The post route bill which has just passed the house, and which will pasthe senate with little it any alteration includes the route from Lexington to Holden, via Martin's shop, and Pitts- tell us that it is useless to try; make the field. We thank Messrs. Cockrell and fight. Crittenden for looking after this matter.

Telegraphic reports from the Lower Rio Grande indicate that about twenty throughout the country should be, that persons were killed by the recent Indian he was not the only scoundrel in Americald, and 150 head of horses captured. to give out the hymn: The number reported kil ed is no doubt ica, by several dozen or so. He was bad; but he never pretended to be good. exaggerated. Nine persons are known That is more than Mr. Beecher can say, to have been killed by raids on the who draws pictures of depravity from northwest border, between Fort Concho

have agreed to report an amendatory agreed to report an amendatory internal revenue bill, levying a tax of 16 cents per pound on tobacco, \$5 per thousand on cigars \$4.25 per thousand on ciga

# OUR COUNTY ROADS.

we need not despair of once more having

to two dollars per day, and require

them to render a strict account of every

dollar which goes into their hands for

is time to work the thing up in every

district, but there is no time to lose.

We hope that a supreme effort will be

entined in jail from four to nine years, day.

lecrease and become less expensive.

It may be impossible for a democratic

ouse to persuade a republican senate

ill dues to the government. This much

racticable moment

that all efforts at mediation have so far The effort to secure a sufficient num- failed, and that there is little hope of a ber of signatures to the petitions asking the country court to have the roads worked by contract, having failed in worked by contract, having failed in an armed neutrality should hostilities Yeaman, of St. Louis. Having the pleasure and hours worked by the superintendent of the less all the townships, it will be well for our begin. Russia and Roumania are on people to make every effort in their second with the begin with the second with t people to make every effort in their the verge of hostilities. What effect power to have the roads thoroughly the illness of the two great diplomatists, worked under the old and familiar plan. Gortschakoff and Bismarck, will have, it part of the state, and more particularly my own same to this date? The advocates of the contract system is difficult to judge; but it is thought should, now that the popular verdict that the circumstance may be selzed I know him to be deeply and hearity in sympa- this matter? has been virtually recorded against it, upon to press the question to an issue, thy with our public school system; and judging gracefully yield in deference to the It England goes into the war, which it majority, and assist to the best of their is the most claimed as a right to propound these interdefects, and his eminent qualifications from a rogatories, but as he occupies three columns in majority, and assist to the best of their is thought is inevitable, she will have all long and active experience as an advisor and the intelligencer and still keeps this con-The total house appropriation for ability in making the only plan left to us Europe in sympathy with her, with, director of various institutions of learning, I test tract from circu, it only occurs to one with a first from circu, and the first from ci su cessful. We think that the court is possibly, the exception of Germany, the in accord with the people on this ques- mooted alliance of the three emperors dissouri that they have put the right man in the dinancial view. Mr. "Index." with the smile tion, and will do whatever is clearly being regarded as never having been right place-a man of undoubted and eminent of an Euclid upon his countenance, and the shown to be their will. In the matter seriously contemplated. of levying the tax, the court will, we assume, no as they did last year—while in Washington have cut and planed a levying no special road tax, set apart to assume, do as they did last year-while every district its share of the amount first-class plank for the republican fall toward place; the same on a roll door permanent feature in the discussion of a question, because

expense fund. This, properly husband-income tax." Everbody does not, sweet ed, supplemented with the labor, should scribbler, enjoy, as does your "boss," place the roads in very fair condition. an annual income of half a million Not being a politician, like all truly great and into consideration." He further says: "The When we speak of their fearful state, dollars. Let him pay, let him pay; he good men, his modesty of his own merits will working of convicts at Montserrat, at Cedar we must always bear in mind that we can afford it.

The latest news from the east indicates

have passed through a very extraordi-What part of the democratic party of have passed through a very extraordinary season, as is evidenced by the fact the state of Missouri did Mr. Armstrong state will see to it that his eminent abilities and nection his tabularized statement shows the exthat very many of the worse mud holes represent when he cast the only demothat we have are in parts of the roads cratic vote in the senate to confirm the always heretofore good, even without Palmyra butcher, John McNeil, as Inwork. For this reason we think that dian inspector?

good roads under the old system. We phonograph, is to contribute to the North cannot accomplish this result, however, American Review an article entitled, until we all determine to set aside our little objections, either to the law or to "The Phonograph and Its Future." those who must enforce it, and deter-

for the general good. The court will, sonate. It should become a law. They probably, increase the pay of overseers are a nuisance.

## Stock Notes. Shull & Elliott sold, April 25th, I heifer,

road purposes. One difficulty with the pound, at 3 cents. county court is in the appointment of road overseers. There are forty-two road overseers. There are forty-two road districts in the county, and nearly as the, 1,650 pounds, at 3 cents. many overseers. It is almost impossi- E. Parker sold, April 22d, to Mark & Zeiler, ble for the court, in many cases unacble for the court, in many cases unacquainted with the personnel of a district, Hamlett, one cow, 880 pounds. at 3 cents.

to select the best man for the place, and | Shull & Elhott sold, April 2id, to Schneider we would suggest that it might effect & Ruppel, two cattle, 2,000 pounds, at 3 cents. we would suggest that it might effect R Parker sold, April 221, to Smith & Ham-good if the people in each district left, four cattle, 3,000 pounds at 3 cents; and would petition the court to appoint men seven sheep, 900 pounds, at 3% cents. thought by them to be suitable for the profit of Mr. J. S. White shipped, Monday, in charge of Mr. Tel. Graves, consigned to Messrs. position. The court will meet next Sparks, Scamands & Co., St. Louis, I car load Monday week, when the road work for of cattle and I car load of hogs.

# Personalities. Mark Twain is in Germany.

Dr. Mary Walker is very ill ortschakoff is in his 82d year. made to place the roads in good condi- Gov. Pacips has gone to Springfield on a visit ion, and that at the very earliest Mr. John Dunkel was in St. Louis during the

Hon. M. V. L. McClelland was in the city Springfield Leader: - The costs in immal cases in this state are alarm- Tuesday g and demand the serious attention of Cart W. A. Thorston was in the city last the next general assembly. The Lex- Saurday. Modjeska's Camille is said to be a perfect ington Intelligencer has been investi- presofacting.

rating this matter, and gives appalling Bayard Taylor has arrived safely in Europe, require of this state are taxed over \$550.

to consider. We will suggest one anendment to the law which would save Miss Fannis Marshall has come down from St. outlinuance of continuances. We know Merrs. H. S. Lomax, H. C. Chiles, Joo. Russerford and Arthur Brown called Tuesday. instances in this section of the state Mesers, Jos. Y. Smith, Jao. P. Hickam and where persons charged with felony were A. G. Paintps called on the Intelligencer Thurs-

of the defendant. At each term of court Mr. Columbus J. Moors has changed his postvitnesses are subposnaed, claim mileage office from Nevada to Dry Wood, Vernon

The ultramontanes are saying of the new pope

expense of the state, and when the Tuesday. witnesses are dead or beyond reach city. Tuesday, and paid the Intelligencer ious case in this county recently, and | Jefferson's tomb. at Monticello, is to be reof course he was acquitted. This should paired at the nation's expense. It should have been sooner done.

outte til, are better. An associated press dispatch, from ng thrown from a horse recently. He is better,

Jacksonville, Fla., says: McLin, secre- t.ol. John Reid and Mesers. Wm. H tary of state under Stevens, and L. G. Wm. Young and J. D. Shewalter returned from Dennis, of Alachua county, have made Jefferson City Thursday. "Who is the P. I. man?" He is the New confessions in writing of frauds in 1876. York Herald editor who writes all the funny which Florida was carried for Hayes. things for the Globe-Democrat.

Dennis covers fully all the details of the Mr. W. T Singleton, agent of the N. M. R. R.

hands of the present secretary of state. Nelson, James Lawhorn, Fred. Young and tell the tolling masses of this state that that law Bloxbam, and have been forwarded to Paschal A. Gibbs called on the Intelligencer last means that the murderers, robbers, thieves and Washington. After Dennis made his Saturday. Bessie Turner died in St. Louis last Sunday

confession, eleven indictments against Northe Tilton Bessie, but a colored woman of him for fraud in Alachua and Levi that name, who fell down a flight of stairs and ounties were nolle prosequied. McLin, killed heraels. The son of Mr. Philip Hahn, who lives upon it is said, was rewarded, but how is not the farm of Mr. J. P. Herr, in Washington township, has been very sick with pneumonia, et out by Col. J. B. Price in another. "Index" but is recevering. In the Moberly bond case Judge Dilon holds the bonds to be void, in spite

proposition while only I opposed it, on the Intelligencer. Ben Butter's son, Israel, has resigned his po- Juan, "whispering 'I will ne'er consent, conoccause the act authorizing the issuing attou as second leutanant in the army. We senter. " No wonder they hesitated. They are of the bonds was unconstitutional, the wonder if the government did not educate him believed, and are here admitted, to be honest and in the good old way of making roads. Theard a onstitution saying in express terms: for a soliher, at West Point,

authorize any county, city or town to phantom receptions of phantom duchesses and loan its credit to any company, associa- dukes whom he used to know. Richmond Conservator :- Maj. A. Oliphant, tion or corporation, unless two-thirds

Miss Ruth Coigan, Miss Josie Slaughter and of the qualified voters of such county, others went to Lexington Sunday, to attend the speak out, and demand that this doubtful usur-still. I do think if our overseers were paid more two-thirds of the sun's diameter. At city or town shall assent thereto. Easter exercises at the Episcopal church. We were visited Monday by the following prattic party should not be committed to this named gentlemen: J. S. White, Lawson South, policy through executive authority. Jr., John S. Blackwell, J. L. Lee, Wm. C.

White, R. M. Sparks, L. G. Manypenny and T. Misses Titile and Sarah Powell and Lutie Rey-James T. Taylor and Dave Powell, spent a day

are to be kept in circulation, and de- from a large circle of friends.

hands of their representatives. Do not and Prof. C. W. Spaulding, of Kansas City,

A scintillation: - A Texan bride, after the condusion of the marriage ceremony, gracefully repped forward and requested the clergyman

n the city last Monday. They reported every- for bids for their labor, as is done in the states thing progressing favorably for the early com-The committee of ways and means are agreed to report an amendatory aternal revenue bill, levying a tax of the effort to adjourn at an early day was the first considerable and an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn at an early day was the first to adjourn

# DR. W. POPE YEAMAN.

Fifth-Does not this contract run for four years from February 6, 1877, giving to Price and associates four hundred men, and "guarantee EDITOR INTELLIGENCER :- A mong the names | ing to said lessees the refusal of all convict labor Sixth-How many men are employed, now, at county, Latayette, that from a thorough knowl- Seventh-Was it ever sought to obtain the opinedge of Dr. Yeaman's views in relation thereto, ton of the supreme court upon the legality of grass, being about the earliest ever seen before.

satisfied that he will, if elected to this place country education to find out what he wants to of honor and trust, fully satisfy the people of know by asking questions. And now for the qualifications, of great perseverance and untiring flourish of a trumpeter in a scene in Edipus, industry, who would devote his time, energy with his pen says. "It's money, my bey-it's New York Herald: "The democrats and talents to the development of the common money that this thing brings, and I have found district school the next term and seems to have croquet and the general appropriate the general ap appropriated to roads from the county campaign platform. It is called the basis. A thorough and ripe scholar, he has it will overshrow his little theories, is either earnest consideration, and knows full well the and that "those who how no undustriously about needs of Missouri concerning it at this time. the rights of honest industry should take this

> nation with that seal and warmth which situtes a large augmentation of the number of characterizes the modern office seeker, but I officers, increasing expenditures in salaries over thorough qualifications are made known; and penditures in this behalf along for 1877 over 187 when this is done I know a good account will be the sum of \$2.724 33. heard from Lafayette county, especially in It share sunied that working these men over honoring herself by siding in conferring the the state under a loose contract is a source of nomination upon one so worthy to receive the same-a democrat of the old school, an honest Thos. A. Edison, the inventor of the man, and a christian gentleman.

# CONVICT LABOR.

KDITOR INTELLIGENCER: - A generous people The house bill to prohibit the coinage are grateful ever for the preservation of the matters not what capital you may sink for mine to do our duty under it like men, of twenty cent pieces, has passed the rights of those who live by honest toil; and to be acquainted with the merits of an administra-tion needs only observation as to the manner in

And with his mind upon the "money," and his took on several passengers here for the which the executive authority deals with the property and rights of those it may be chosen to

The above reflections come spontaneously to mind upon reading the labored article published n your paper of 20th inst , of some one writing | He seeks, as all defenders of the throne are sup from Jefferson City, under the nom de plame poset to do, spargers voces in valgam amof "Index," defending the present contract of bigues, and rises to great philosop the inspectors of the penitentiary, approved by clusions, and parenthetically remarks, that one the governor, letting convict labor for mining contractor for convict labor inside the penitenti-

evidently carefully penned at the clow of our boundary of aix states, and has to-day the most most excellent governor, and under the sanction of our worthy inspectors. It is an article designed to suppress the dis-

content of the people and the press, upon this the very case, from whence this clamor is going again.

Mrs. Mrs. upon the throne; yet it is feared that this mur- now engaged in working at nominal prices, the muring of discontent, like the ghost of the murdered Banquo, will not down. And whilst it been sent to the penitentiary, in crushing out of may seem the tate of folly to brush up against existence a fixed capital of at least one million such a powerful quintet-yet, with a few pebbles in my pouch, unprepared for such a contest, from our midst and bringing hollow checks and Fards. solitary and alone, like David of old, I will undertake to meet these five modern Golimbs at

hat the inspectors, finding themselves "short | ed by "Index," under a contract, and which is of funds," began, in February, 1877, to cast a monopoly insteels, made without an opportuabout for some expedient, looking to "incressed nity for competition. It is here pronounced a of their desires in the person of one J. B. Price. upon every dollar invested for mining purposes, with whom they drew up a contract, "person!" Price & Co. set these low - priced then up at state, and to work them in any employment be miners who had settled there to make their home. might think proper;" and that when the matter They can dump a portion of their men out at was presented to Gov. Phelps, he promptly and Lexington, a few at Richmond, at Camden, pended his signature and gave it his indorsement. Huntsville, Bevier, Macon City, Trenton, Cenwithout the benefit of experience, and forgettid | fortunate contractors monopolize the business of

precedent of any former administration-taking man, quotes largely from the recent speech of men, women and children, and striking a blow opposite view, in the special message of Gov.

And whilst "Index" would seem to give on the subject of convict labor. "Index" says, prominence to the fact of the prompt and cordial be remedied, and thousands of dollars Mrs. Osting, Mrs. Driver and Mr. Hale-saved to the state yearly; crime would meister, of Freedom township, who have been action of the inspectors and indorsement of the sincke, and the rattle of muskerry, was heard, governor and his "Index," it is here respect in the glare of that memorable night, the prayers contained. It is here affirmed that the last clause one; but the purpose of this article is to facet a

thority to employ any of the convicts outside of dition of an inoffensive, toiling people, whose

"at any other labor" refers only to work in we tail, making improvements about the penitentlary, and will admit of no other construction. And yet this rescript from the throne undertakes to counties of the state and sent to one common place of punishment, should be converted into one or ore perigrinating machines, with this whole broad territory of ours as a local habitation, and "Davis Township" mentions Judge James B. that when they have driven out the honest toiler' Hord for representative. While I would no

virtually says this can be done. It is here alleged of Dover township, as a man eminently fitted for that the law does not authorize it. "Index" the place. Respectfully, or Masonry," an excellent manuature, published | eave the inspectors "doubted," and leaves us to n Chicago, was in the city Monday, and called infer that they, under the persuasive influence of sonscientious gentlemen; yet they doubtless rec- minister say once that the best way to heaven constitution saying in express terms:

Beau Brummel is a poor bilot in Calais, with one candle and a servant, who treats him to they were under obligations for the places they roads. I do not propose to advise our honora-

dex' for this innovation upon the rights of pri- be done, is too little; for instance, hay making burn, of Richmond, accompanied by Alesses. gage saveral views of this noble discovery 1st, dollar and fifty cents per day. Yes, twenty-five are visiting their relatives near Auliville. They inspectorial authority, and see what we shall three, instead of four days, that overseers would formerly lived in this county, and may possibly see. First, in his "legal view" he gives us a realize from his road hands more work in three, return. They would meet a hearty welcome glimpse of the contract with Col. J. B. Price. than they now do in four days. As it is, warn he people of the west demand at the respects to our lumber men, and also to the fair in the labyrinths of the committee on the pent- in my power, to carry out section 21 of the road and Prof. C. W. Spaulding, of Kansas City, mem'ry dear." "Index," being so well inwe have had for the last two years. An overse
officers of high degree in the order of Knights of formed upon this subject, it is trusted that the
never fails to get labor when he wants it, if oo public may have the benefit of the publication of ducted properly. Greracers would like it better

> First-Is not said contract with J. B. Price Thompson, late of Tennessee?

said contract; or that "Index" will answer the if they could get their pay when the work wa

# COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE. WELLINGTON.

Weather fine No more hall storms Fish biting well in Helm's lake Benj. Martin, who went to California the fire

of January, returned the 13th of this month. The Fanny Lewis, on her down trip, took from O, save us! Are we to be bored through the Delly Jacobs, while chopping wood last week, "Index" will readily understand that it is cut his foot very badly, and will not be able to There seems to be a general spirit of improve-

ment in this neighborhood, this spring, in way Another traveling blind man in town this week. This makes four blind persons traveling, at different vocations, that have visited this place within the last month. Miss Gussie Keller, of Lexington, opened a L., who had just turned the corner of " ewe subscription school in this place last Tuesday. sixteen," which was quite an agreeable enter

Sunday in May. There will be sacramental of an endless variety of dainties, which would services at the time, it being the annual church satiste the most fastidious epicure. Mrs. Osmeeting, according to usage long kept up by this 'Zuzumbee.'' gave one of his so-called won-

derful humbug entertainments at Odd Fellow." and advertised for Saturday night also, but it was no go. Nobody went; hence, no show.

# WAVERLY.

New dry goods house in town. 'Columbia troupe'' in town last week. revenue, and if "Index will eliminate from his Good Templars grand Jubilee, May 9th. Grundy Young is on his dignity. 'Tis a girl Young folks think the "flshing" splendid at engaged in mining coal, from the work of all the lake. he will at once see the fallacy of his assertion Rev - Norficet and lady have returned from

their visit to Mayview. do, what is the conclusion? Why, just simply organizing a singing class. others, and what wee may be entailed upon the during winter, came back last week.

helpless, yet it's money! money!! money!!! Yellow Stone passed up a few days ago, and pen upon the paper, "Index" rushes from his tains.

> catory sermon. Rev. S. R. Whiting, assisted by G. W. Hatcher, of Miami, is carrying on a pretracted | Miss Katie, to spend several weeks with friend from their visit to Paris, Monroe county. He | a ext morning, looking as if he had had a long again takes charge of the Christian church.

### BARRISON. Seed corn hard to find.

Vegetables large enough to est. Now, Mr. "Index," you approvingly state The hog cholers is raging in the neighborhoo

non county. Johnson county. Keep plenty of sand or gravel in your poltry of dollars in this state; in driving honest toilers Young ladies, beware of high-strung and agents bragging on their machines, and their jealous-hearted men if you want to be happy

he rest of your days. to know no difference between the "rag and the Rev. Dr. L. Yantis will preach at Prairie Sunday school at nine. resources," and luckily struck upon the Mecca great wrong to miners of this state, and a fraud month in Vernon county purchasing stock, returned home Saturday last.

horse. Let me say one word to the young men and others: The admiration of our fairer sex oftener causes a man to loose his life than his The truth is often told in a joke as you will see It would appear from the statements of "ladex" trains and along the line of the M , K & I rail- in this case: Two of our old friends met the

white and your beard black, and my head is Campbell boys, and will move this fall to the black and beard is white?" The other remarked: county of Johnson, near Kingsville. "I don't know, unless it is because I use my head and you use your jaws." Patience in friendship ! no. no! I cannot take | men of red clover in bloom. This is earlier then

turned aside. We both have listened to the purpose of letting out contracts for the voice of pride. It was a heavy cloud that road. They require the ties to be made of either brought us this. Ah! what a brittle thing white oak, black locust, burr oak, coffee bean suming a combiful authority in law,-without rian view," and to show that he is a reading friendship is. Many a glad and young and sunny er red elm. tead from the mouths of at least ten thousand Gov. Alvord, of New York. Had he quoted the have we been close companions, but we may,

tion of buying or renting.

Mr. Bates, of the arm of Daiby & Hogue, dalia, was in the city Wednesday, Mr. Teasdale, of Morrison, Hall, Beeler & ., Sedalla, was in town Wednesday. Mr. DeGarmo, of St. Louis, was in the city

A. & J. Major have sold their hogs to George Roberts, at 2% cents.
Great excitement in flour Tuesday. It opened at \$3, dropped to \$2 10, and closed, at \$2 75,

# NAP OLEON-

Very beautiful weather. Business flattering for the busy agriwould respectfully suggest Captain Isaac Neal Born, in Clay township, April 18, to the

f Mr. Jas. Cantwell-a girl Owing to the press, our effort on Whit, Fishback and Jas, Renick shipped for Many of our citizens are demolishing their old fences, and replacing them with new ones; plant-

Prospects are very promising to the farmers for

ed, and much of it is up. Roberts deserve much credit for their enterprise

## Fruit still uninfured. Oats up, and looking well.

BERLIN.

April showers quite plentiful Jas. Fleming is having his house repainted Jack Stusher shipped 1,600 bushels of wheat of the Fannie Lewis. No hogs or cattle are being fed in the neighbo nood of this place.

s paying \$1 75 per cord. in this neighborhood this season. will come down this way, he can see rye headed and wheat also. for two or three days longer, the farmers of this

# AULLVILLE. Fruit crops promising. Wheat prospects flattering.

Self-binders on every corner. Miss Rose Thornton is visiting your city Miss Kate Chadwick is visiting friends

of cattle and hogs to St. Louis Monday Uncle Jack Cooksey and Wm. C. Price, wh have been quite ill for some time, we are glad to

see on the streets again. Mrs. Jno. W. Endley has been visiting friends and relatives in Virginia and Ohio for some titr Mrs. Cicero and Mrs. Price have ovened out

assortment of goods in their line.

Mr. George Roberts bought, of Mr. Jackson Corder, 32 head of cattle, averaging 1,150 ha le shipped one car load to St. Louis Tuesday. Your correspondent had the pleasure of at-ending a birthday party, given by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Osboro, to their daughter, Miss Mary

croquet and the general amusements of the day until edibles were announced, and we were in tro-tuced to a table growing under the burden born and Miss Mary, assisted by Mr. Charles Osborn, certainly guests. Who will be "sweet sixteen" next? One of your correspondents, some time since, spoke of the mighty Davis. Let him call back r few years when their disterns were emptied hall last Friday night, to a very slim audience, their springe had run dry, their wells had beedipped to their bottoms, when man and beas were suffering for the crystal fluid, the michig Davis (so-called) supplied them, from her bountiful fullness, with ice to melt to gratif their inestiable thirst. Higginsville, don't go back on Davis, lest you get thirsty; and re

member that when Elilah was trapplated from

the fields of prophecy his mantle feil upon

By the way, what is the matter with Ellian. No. 33? Has he eaten to many fine dinners an suppers lately that we hear no more from him? Mr. J. R. Major and Miss Anna Keliar were married in the Christian church, at this place, by Elder Hedrick, on the evening of the 24th but as I saw you present, I shall give no deacription of the affair. Many were disappointed nowever, as it was expected that there would be a double marringe on that interesting occasion.

Mr. Samuel Rudin and his aunt, Miss Katie Baptist church at this place was dedicated on 14th. Rev. S. B. Whiting preached the dedi- Chackwick, one of Auliville's tavorite young ladies, departed for Warnsburg a few days since with the expectation, upon the part of meeting at the Baptist church.

Elder Featherston and wife have returned pected to stay several days, but he returned expected to see was absent. Poor Sammie! go again, and may you have better luck next time. The wheat crop never looked better than it loes in this section of the county, and the reaping machine men are ready to supply the

### and Frinch by Mr. Nelhans & Hill, and the March Harvester by Mr. Abner Wood. It believed that at least thirty machines will be sold here this season; and were you to hear those superiority over all others, you would believe that each one had the best machine in the mar-

EPHRAHAM.

The Wood self-binder is represented by Mr. B.

the McCormack by Mr. John Endly, the Astar

Whitworth, the Osborn by Mr. T. M. Chinn,

winds. care of a physician 19th inst., twins-boys. Farm Work : oes on slowly on account of the

MT. HOPE.

Mr. H. C. Armstrong, to-day, showed us wheat which had headed out, and also a speciof the private rights of the few, are ever looking one state, and dictate terms to all capital and forward to the rewards they should no longer labor in sametar business? The conclusion is one state, and it is hoped. "Index" may yet the hands of the many.

Did not Goy. Business have when he gave his

just west of town "went through" a rattlesaske den in their neighborhood, and killed
eighteen "rattlers" and two copperheads. The
"rattlers" were of the old "woods" kind, and
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office of the old the ol just west of town "went through" a rattleboth "Index" or Gov. Aiverd could say or pen ways and words so full of inborn grace, your "rattlers" were of the old "woods" kind, and old den, and that old uncle George Houx and

his father's family. He writes from Cottonwoo Station, that he was in the tornado which passe traveling along about 7 miles east of Emports, Bey. Whitworth and Jo. Welshans had a street | children went into a house and 1 staid with the exhibition of their self-binders Wednesday, the wagons. We stopped on Badger creek. I have roods and Adams & Frenzb. Jno. Henley and been in many a storm, but may the Lord deliver otherwise the mare and colt to approach of the storm about a o'clock, p. m., cloud came swelling up, and steadily increasing ready to overwhelm the earth. To the east and north the sky was clear, only a few clouds here when a tremendous but distant roar was hearapproaching nearer every moment; a heavy dash of wind and rain came from th rain shut out further view of the sky. This

sued. This lull was suddenly broken by a blast northwest. This was the storm in all its fary. and it raged this way for half an hour. I heard of the damage it did farther ahead before I got to it, but I did not hear the haif. It blew down hall stones allarge as goose eggs. Now, Phil, it any. whether I would believe him or not, but when I went out and picked up harlstones as large as inst you could put your fist through. As for had been riddled with stones. The houses descarried along until dashed to pieces, and the fragments carried for half a mile. We passed through Cottonwood Station yesterday and sav the extent of the damage done. You could see on the ground. It looks very strange that there was no more killed than there was. There wa a good many wounded. Several were killed outright. Others were not expected to live. I ell you what, Phil, I though my time had com

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We want to buy immediately a few good nules from 141 to 16 hands high; from four to eight years old. The mules must be smooth and lat: for which we will pay the highest

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'Squire Pool has been sick for some time, of risks. [api3mil JNO M. ALEXANDER.

theumatism and biliousness, but we learn that STALLIONS AT NETTLEWOOD.

THIS PREMICM STALLION will stand the present season at Judge R. A. Barnett's stable, at \$10 to in-MANMADDIN is a beautiful black, 16 hands

TELEGRAPH, good-bye; and yet, dear, give me once again your little hand. I trust you, though I cannot understand. Yes, you are free to go your way, my friend, and I will trust and love you to the end.

L. H. D.

AULLVILLE.

Geo. Roberts shipped one car of cattle and one I hope to St. Louis Thursday.

Mr. Versus of the season of 1878, at my fine horse, or about fifteen years at the surgeons at and in the surgeon standing, though it had never troubled him until within the last few months. It increased very much in size of late, became very painful. It had grown fast to the bone of the jaw, being just in front and below the car. He is doing very was sired by Old Telegraph, of Kentucky, and out of a thoroughpred Membrino mars—well at the present writing.

It may be of interest to many of this place, skillfully for the season of 1878, at my farm, two miles and had south west of Dover. He will be permitted to serve Mares at the reduced price of \$8 to insure the colts to stand and suck. The colt is held bound and responsible for the insurance money until paid.

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had grown fast to the bone of the jaw, being just in front and below the ear. He is doing very and out of a thoroughbred Membrino mare—a celebrated trotter. TELE-RAPH is a beautiful bay, black mans and tail, sixteen hands high, expecially in this section, to hear from James Satterfield, who left this neighborhood two or [mr23w8] SAMUEL HACKLEY. CADMUS.

> DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE CADMUS is a sorrel; 15% hands high, goes all the gails: was stred by unported Adbion; 1st dan, by Kin, 's Cadmus, of Kentucky; 2nd dam by Canadian Copperbottom; 3d dam by Hamble-tonian; 4th dam by Blackburn's Whip, sp20m2\*

THE FINE HAMBLETONIAN TROTTING STALLION. Thalaba,

WILL stand the present season at the sarm of W. B. Glover, in Grand Pass township near Malta Bend, and will serve Mares at \$20 TO INSURE. Note to be given at time of service, payable when the Mare shall prove to be in foal, or it sold. Good pasturage, with shade, fornished a 50 cents per week, and care taken to prevent accidents, but no responsibility should accidents.

magnificent mane and tail, left hind foot white, magnificent mane and tail, left hind foot white, and was sired by Alexander's Abdallah, he by Rysdyk's Hambletonian. THALABA is a half brother of Almont and Goldsmith Maid, record 2:14. 1st dam Fanne Fern, by Kinkead's St. Lawrence, (the great dam of Mambrino Git, second 2:20.) 2nd dam, Brenda. (a thorough-bred mare.)

F. A. BLACKBURN. THE FINE KENTUCKY - BRED TROTTING STALLION,

Brown-fooled in 1861; by Mambrino Chief; 1st dam by imported Champion; 24 dam by Cher-okee; 3d dam by Blackburn's Whip; 4th dam by and fat; for which we will pay the highest cash price.

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30th.

WM. H. EWING.

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